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MAIL STOP APPEAL BRIEF

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Patent Application Of:  
Ulrich Reiners et al.

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Appln. No.: 09/851,460 : Examiner: Kevin R. Kruer  
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Title: THERMO-FORMABLE MULTILAYER BARRIER FILM WITH THE  
APPEARANCE AND TEXTURE OF PAPER

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A))**

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a four-month extension of time to and including February 16, 2005 for filing their Appeal Brief for the Notice of Appeal filed August 12, 2004 (received by the Patent Office on August 16, 2004). An Appeal Brief accompanies this Petition.

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